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1653Applicants: Michael J. MAY *et al.*Invention: INHIBITION OF NF- κ B ACTIVATION BY BLOCKADE OF IKK β -NEMO INTERACTIONS AT THE NEMO BINDING DOMAIN**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**

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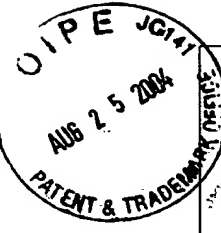
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)

Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the Final Office Action dated March 25, 2004 (Paper No. 2802), finally rejecting claims 19-21 and 28-46. Responsive to the Office Action, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.